

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 at (703) 872-9306 on July 8, 2004.

By Maria E. Vega

[MARIA E. VEGA]

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 08 2004

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**OFFICIAL**

In re Application of:
JAMES A. AAMODT ET AL.) Group Art Unit: 1744
Serial No.: 10/006,192) Examiner: Krisanne Jastrzab
Filed: December 3, 2001) (formerly Thornton)
For: PAPER PRODUCT)
IMPREGNATED WITH CHEMICAL)
MATERIAL)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action mailed July 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as set forth herein below and consider this amendment in conjunction with the accompanying remarks.

An amendment to the specification is contained on page 2 of this paper.